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For Congress
 CHARLES D. CARTER

He is detained in Washington attending to business that all of us are intensely interested in and because he has stayed at his post and has not taken flight and run home to see the voters we ought the more to stand loyal to him.

INGRATITUDE WILL KILL TOWN.

Here is a little story that we want you to read clear through to the last word and then if it possesses any merit, if the suggestion made ought to be carried out, we ask that you call up some friend and ask him to read it.

If the bond issue carries next Monday Bert Simpson will pave the most beautiful driveway in any city in this state out in the southwest portion of the city where he has purchased a large number of lots. He must have the sewer lines and water lines laid before the work can be done. He is ready to begin that work tomorrow morning and is waiting only on the city to lay the lines mentioned.

You may ask how that paving and how that improvement is going to help me. That improvement means labor to the hands to lay the pipes and to dig the ditches. It means work for the paving crew. It means the building of a half hundred houses that will bring labor to carpenters, plumbers, painters, paper hangers and masons. It means that a beautiful driveway will be built in Ardmore shaded by stately trees that will be a beauty spot in the city. It

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"SEE WHAT WILSON HAS DONE!"

(FROM NEW YORK WORLD)

will attract many people to this city who will build homes and establish factories and other kinds of business enterprises. It means that there will be much more taxable property in the city. And in the end the revenue from the sewerage and water service established will pay the bonds and the final result will be no expense to the men who vote the bonds.

But the voting of these bonds have still a greater meaning than any that have been mentioned. That meaning is the encouragement of Bert Simpson who has made a million or two in the oil fields and who is spending it in Ardmore. Bert Simpson is adding to the value of every piece of property in the city. He could have taken that bunch of money and gone to Denver or Los Angeles and lived in luxury without labor the rest of his life. But instead of that he is working more hours and doing more hard work than he ever did in his life and that labor he is doing is building your city. He has some plans ahead that will make you proud of him and proud of Ardmore.

You know as well as we that Ardmore heretofore has been considered a poor town—our per capita wealth has been very low. This is the first time that wealth has come to any number of our citizens and they are now doing the very things for Ardmore that you would like to have them do. They are building handsome homes, they are improving the business district, they are rejuvenating the street car line that was dead, they are putting new life in the city and every man who lives in this city is getting the advantage of that energy and of that wealth.

We must choose Monday whether we are going to take these people by the hand or not and tell them we are with them. Tell them we will put no stones in their way, tell them they have our best wishes, they have our encouragement, they have our friendship.

If there is a reason that impels you not to vote for the issue will you bid good speed to Ardmore by staying away from the polls on that day and let those who can in good conscience vote have the right of way for this one day. You will not feel the tax but you will feel the upward tendency of Ardmore from the very day that work is completed.

The Iron Ring.

The systematic energy with which the allies are pressing their campaign shows that there is to be no hanging back, no waiting for Germany to weaken. In the English press we have at times seen warnings against trusting too much to sea power as a substitute for victories on land. In Germany, too, the belief has found expression that the allies, expecting the central powers to be starved into submission, would dawdle through one more summer and autumn, and then make peace on Germany's terms. Germany's case for peace, indeed, has rested on the assumed inability of the allies to recover by force of arms the territories seized by the German armies in the first year of the war. In its hints of readiness to negotiate, it has neither offered to restore the lands of its neighbors nor said down-right that what it had it would keep. Its governing purpose, so far as can

be made out from a rough average of the various semi-official proposals and official delphic utterances, was to enter the peace council with a free hand and to drive a good bargain on the strength of its holdings, keeping what it most wanted and using the rest for negotiation. The prevailing view, apparently, has been that to annex too much at one time would weaken rather than strengthen the empire, and that the land greed shown by certain powerful factions ought to be checked.

Having thus made up its mind to an egregious moderation, Germany should see no reason why peace should not come at once, and explained the refusal of the allies to consider such proposals as due to a settled design to destroy Germany. That vindictiveness has increased in the entente countries is quite probable, and seems to be indicated by the tone of the press. If hate breeds war, no less does war breed hate, and a long and unsuccessful war, even if it brings a desire for peace, does not favor the growth of good will. There is a real danger that if the allies win they may show less moderation than Germany, to which war is a matter of policy. The desire for revenge is intelligible, but to indulge it would bring new disasters on Europe.

Yet while this temper finds some expression in the allied countries, and is quite as vicious as the German talk of "bleeding France white" or driving Russia into Asia, it has not been expressed by responsible statesmen, and there is hope that even if the allies should win an unequalled victory, the saner spirit will prevail. Their resolution to persist despite what not long ago seemed the hopelessness of their position does not need to be explained by the German theory of a malignant purpose to destroy Germany. With invading armies on their soil, no explanation whatever is needed of the refusal of Russia and France to talk peace, and to England the re-establishment of Belgium is no less vital. Neutrals, therefore, have not been very deeply impressed by the German chancellor's somewhat hysterical declaration that Germany, now having both hands full, the guilt of protracting the war further would rest upon its enemies.

To students of the military side of the war this anxiety to mobilize neutral influences for peace has seemed to some extent a confession of weakness. They have noted the immense development of munitions industries in France, England and Russia as well as in neutral countries, and could not see that the output was being used. They grasped the significance of the war council in Paris, and realized that at last a co-ordinated campaign on a

gigantic scale, with unheard-of supplies of guns and shells, was projected. They knew, therefore, that it was preposterous to expect the allies to listen to peace talk till the issue of that campaign was settled, and that the pressure upon President Wilson to intervene was ill-timed. The peculiar irritation which the bare hint caused in England was due to causes which well meaning pacifists, looking only at the apparent deadlock, did not understand.

A campaign on so vast a scale moves slowly, and the full test of strength is yet to come. But before fall ends it should be possible to measure both the weight of the offensive and the resisting power of Germany. Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey. Unimportant success, failure of exhilarating triumphs which fell short of defeating Germany might protract the war; perhaps the best outlook for an early peace would come from massive but costly progress by the allies, which would correct the "military map" without tempting the allies to press their demands too far.—Springfield Republican.

VOTE FOR L. S. STAGGS FOR
 COUNTY WEIGHER.

SUPREME COURT ADJOURNS.

Many Important Cases Left on Docket
 Undecided.

Oklahoma City, July 27.—Tuesday of this week was the last opinion day of the Oklahoma supreme court for the summer. The next regular opinion day will probably be the second Tuesday in September. The court has left undecided several important and pressing questions. One of them the constitutionality of the registration law enacted by the recent special session of the legislature, which was declared unconstitutional by District Judge Oldfield of this city some time ago. Appeal was at once taken to the supreme court before the coming primary election.

Another case that has been watched with interest is that which involves the validity of the surrender clause of oil and gas leases. This case is on rehearing and an order has been expected for several months.

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Payments to be made at the City Hall at the office of the city clerk.

Dated this the 28th day of July, 1916.

G. H. BRUCE,
 City Clerk.
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PAVING TAX NOTICE

To the property owners on Street Improvement Districts No. 7 (First Ave. S. W.); No. 8 (A St. N. E.); No. 10 (Broadway); No. 11 (McLish Ave.); No. 12 (First Ave. S. E.); No. 13 (F St. S. W.); No. 14 (West Main street); No. 15 (A St. S. W.) City of Ardmore:

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